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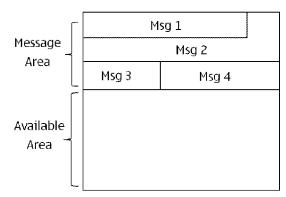
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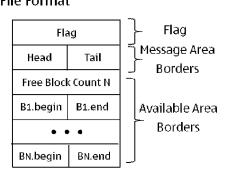
Various methods are provided for facilitating inter-widget communications. One example method may include receiving a message from a first widget of a plurality of widgets for storage in a data file. The method may also include concurrently enabling another message in the data file to be accessed by at least a second widget of the plurality of widgets. The method may further include causing an information file to record a status of the data file to enable concurrent receiving and accessing of messages in the data file.

Data File Format



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Info File Format



Msg Format

Timestamp	Length	Next	Target Count N	Target 1	• • •	Target N	Data
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